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U.S. Army Accident Information

Class A Ground Accidents by Accident Classification for 1 October 2015 to 31 January 2016 for Class A Accident Count Primary Accident Type is Weapons/Explosives FY 2016

Total number of Cases: 4

No	Case Number	Description
1	20160131001	Soldier was attending a private party when he fired a loaded handgun at his head, reportedly thinking it was unloaded after he had removed the cartridge.
2	20151212001	Four Soldiers were handling a shotgun belonging to one of them when it discharged a live round that struck one Soldier in the chest, resulting in fatal injury.
3	20151209002	Unit was conducting a live-fire exercise on the range when a team leader was struck in the abdomen by a live round. He was pronounced dead upon arrival at the local hospital.
4	20151006001	PFC was fatally injured when he was struck by a 5.56 round during Fire-Team training. The Soldier was in an OPFOR role during a blank-fire iteration, prior to live-fire training, when a BLUFOR Soldier fired a live round from his M4 rifle. The PFC was pronounced deceased following evacuation.